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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: §
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Michal AYALON-SOFFER et al §
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Serial No.: 10/764,833 §
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Filed: January 27, 2004 § Group Art Unit: 1631
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For: NOVEL POLYNUCLEOTIDES §
ENCODING SOLUBLE §
POLYPEPTIDES AND §
METHODS USING SAME § Attorney Docket: 27256
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Examiner: Pablo S. Whaley §

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Sir: -

(1) This is a petition for an extension of time to respond to the Office Action mailed August 29, 2006, for a period of ONE (1) month.

(2) Applicant is a:
 X small entity verified statement attached
 verified statement filed

(3) Extensions (months)	Fees for <u>small entity</u>	Fee for other than <u>small entity</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> one month	\$ 60.00	\$ 120.00
<input type="checkbox"/> two months	\$ 225.00	\$ 450.00
<input type="checkbox"/> three months	\$ 510.00	\$ 1020.00
<input type="checkbox"/> four months	\$ 795.00	\$ 1590.00
<input type="checkbox"/> five months	\$1080.00	\$ 2160.00

(4) An amendment X is filed herewith
 has been filed

(5) Please charge the extension fee and any other amount required to Deposit Account No. 50-1407. A duplicate copy of this form is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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